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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

vs.

THOMAS JOSEPH BECKER,

Defendant.

Case No. 2:20-cr-296-GMN-VCF

**Motion to Dismiss the Indictment only as
 to Defendant Thomas Joseph Becker**

The United States of America, by and through the undersigned attorney, respectfully seeks leave of court pursuant to Federal Rule of Criminal Procedure 48(a) to dismiss the Criminal Indictment filed October 27, 2020, *see* ECF No. 1, against defendant Thomas Joseph Becker.¹ On November 9, 2022, the United States received a copy of Becker's Certificate of Death from the Nevada Department of Health and Human Services, stating that Becker died on September 14, 2022. Accordingly, the United States respectfully requests that the Criminal Indictment against only defendant Becker be dismissed.

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¹ For the reason set forth in this motion, the United States seeks to dismiss the indictment against defendant Becker only. The United States is not moving to dismiss the indictment against co-defendant John Frank Thomas, III.

1 Respectfully submitted this 9th day of November, 2022.

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**Order Granting Motion to
Dismiss Indictment as to Defendant
Thomas Joseph Becker**

8 Pursuant to Federal Rule of Criminal Procedure 48(a), and upon leave of Court, the
9 government hereby dismisses the Indictment in the above-captioned matter as to Defendant
10 Thomas Joseph Becker only.

11 Respectfully submitted,

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17 Leave of Court is hereby granted for the filing of the above dismissal of the
18 Indictment as to Defendant Thomas Joseph Becker in the above-captioned matter under
19 Rule 48(a).

20 DATED this 15 day of November, 2022,

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23 HONORABLE GLORIA M. NAVARRO
24 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE